

2023 BIG GAME QUOTA HUNTS



DEADLINE: JULY 26, 2023



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QUOTA HUNT INSTRUCTIONS

You may apply at

<https://quotahunt.gooutdoorstennessee.com>, via the TWRA mobile app, at a TWRA Regional Office or at any TWRA License Agent. If you encounter any problems while applying, please call 615-781-6621 from 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. CDT. Do not mail this form to TWRA.

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METHODS OF SUBMISSION AND FEES

Each applicant must provide their Date of Birth, their legal Last Name and one of the following:

- Last 4 of SSN or US Driver's License or TWRA ID.

Non-US Citizens can choose the "Other" option and provide:

- Non-US Driver's License or Passport or US Travel VISA or Green Card

A \$12 non-refundable application fee is required for each drawing requested, except individuals possessing a valid Annual, Lifetime or Senior Sportsman License.

There is a vendor fee assessed to each application that varies depending on submission method. **Application fee(s) are non-refundable. No refunds will be made.**

GENERAL APPLICATION INFORMATION

- You may begin applying June 14, 2023. The deadline is midnight July 26, 2023.
- Once your application is complete. You may view your application (including party members) by logging back into the address above.
- No applications will be accepted or edited after the deadline.
- No person may apply for a particular quota hunt more than once. Any person violating this rule and regulation is subject to having his/her permit and/or hunting privileges revoked and may be subject to prosecution.
- Applicants must review their application receipt and verify name, address, hunt locations, party number (if joining a party), fees, etc., upon completion to ensure accuracy.

(G) Gun • (S) Shotgun • (M) Muzzleloader • (A) Archery

- On deer gun hunts, hunters may also use shotguns, muzzleloaders, or archery equipment.
- On shotgun hunts, hunters may also use muzzleloaders or archery equipment.
- On muzzleloader hunts, hunters may also use archery equipment.
- Note: Muzzleloaders are prohibited on shotgun turkey hunts.

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APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

You may have up to 15 choices, but you will be issued no more than one permit for each drawing you enter. Do not use the same hunt code more than once. You/your party will not be drawn for two hunts occurring on the same or overlapping dates.

- You may create or join a party (max. 15), apply alone or submit a Point Only application.
- A party must be established by a party leader who will create the party, select the hunt choices for the party, the number of drawings, and whether to allow an applicant with lower priority to join his/ her party. A party number will be assigned to the leader after the application has been submitted to the system and is printed on the receipt..
- The leader informs the person(s) wishing to join the party of the party number. The members will choose "joining a party" on their application and input the leader's party number onto their application. The party number is what links everyone together.
- Point Only applications can only be submitted alone (no parties). You will be awarded one additional priority point after the drawing is finalized. You cannot submit a Point Only application and an application to enter the drawing.



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ANTLER RESTRICTIONS

Catoosa, Cheatham, Laurel Hill, Yuchi - Antlered deer must have at least 4 antler points, 1 inch or longer, on one antler or a 15-inch minimum outside antler spread.
Presidents Island - Antlered deer must have at least 9 antler points, 1 inch or longer, or a 20-inch minimum main beam outside spread.

DRAWING INFORMATION

1. Priority drawing: TWRA's priority drawing system gives one priority point (maximum of 13 points) to applicants each year they apply and are not successful for any hunt. Applicants who were successful last year will start over with a priority of zero. If applicants in a party have varying priority points, the points will be averaged. If party is unsuccessful, each party member's individual priority will increase by 1 point.
2. Applications are assigned a unique random number by the drawing program; the applications are then sorted highest to lowest priority. The lowest random number in the highest priority is selected for review. When an application is selected, the first hunt choice is compared to the quota for that hunt; if there is quota available, the application is awarded that choice. If not, the program continues to examine each hunt choice in the order entered onto that application until it either finds a hunt choice with quota available or runs out of choices.
3. If quota remains for any hunt at the conclusion of the drawing, a vacancy drawing will be conducted using the applicants who chose two drawings. Priority is not considered in the vacancy drawing.
4. If quota remains after the conclusion of the vacancy drawing, leftover permits will be sold by all license agents and online on a first come, first serve basis beginning at 8 am on August 23, 2023.
5. Permits are not transferable.
6. Receipt and deposit of application fee(s) do not constitute permission to participate in the hunt.

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CODE	DATE	QUOTA	LIMIT
AEDC - Special regulations apply. (See the current Tennessee Hunting & Trapping Guide) (Bonus Deer)			

1 (S)	Nov. 10-12	900	2 deer, only 1 antlered
2 (S)	Nov. 24-26	900	2 deer, only 1 antlered

Buffalo Ridge - Unit 2

3 (A)	Sept. 30 - Oct 2	7	3 Deer, Only 1 antlered
4 (M)	Nov. 11-12	7	3 Deer, Only 1 antlered
5 (G)	Dec. 2-4	7	3 Deer, Only 1 antlered

CATOOSA - Bicolor: Antler restrictions apply-Deer count toward statewide bag limit.

6 (M)	Oct. 26-28	1000	1 antlered deer
7 (G)	Nov. 9-11	1000	1 antlered deer
8 (M)	Nov. 16-18	1000	1 antlered deer

CATOOSA - Genesis: Antler restrictions apply-Deer count toward statewide bag limit.

9 (M)	Oct. 26-28	1000	1 antlered deer
10 (G)	Nov. 9-11	1000	1 antlered deer
11 (M)	Nov. 16-18	1000	1 antlered deer

CHEATHAM: Antler restrictions apply. Deer count toward statewide bag limit.

12 (M)	Oct. 27-29	450	2 deer, antlered/antlerless
13 (M)	Nov. 3-5	450	2 deer, antlered/antlerless
14 (G)	Nov. 10-17	450	2 deer, antlered/antlerless
15 (G)	Nov. 18-25	450	2 deer, antlered/antlerless

CHEATHAM LAKE / PARDUE POND REFUGE

16 (S)	Oct. 7-8	50	2 bearded turkeys
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CHUCK SWAN STATE FOREST: Deer count toward statewide bag limit.

17 (A)	Sept. 29-30	400	1 antlered deer
18 (M)	Nov. 10-11	650	1 antlered deer
19 (G)	Dec. 1-2	650	1 antlered deer
20 (G)	Dec. 8-9	650	1 antlered deer

HAPPY HOLLOW (Bonus Deer)

21 (G)	Nov. 18-20	80	2 deer, only 1 antlered
22 (G)	Dec. 2-4	80	2 deer, only 1 antlered
23 (G)	Dec. 16-18	80	2 deer, only 1 antlered

HIWASSEE REFUGE (Bonus Deer)

24 (M)	Oct. 20-22	150	2 deer, only 1 antlered
25 (M)	Oct. 27-29	150	2 deer, only 1 antlered
26 (A)	Oct. 22-24	200	2 deer, only 1 antlered; 1 bearded turkey

LAUREL HILL: Antler restrictions apply-see back page.

27 (M)	Oct. 19-22	500	1 antlered deer
28 (G)	Nov. 10-12	500	1 antlered deer
29 (G)	Nov. 24-26	500	1 antlered deer
30 (G)	Dec. 1-3	500	1 deer / either sex

Milan Volunteer Training Site (TA 2)

31 (A)	Sept. 25-26	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
32 (A)	Sept. 28-30	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
33 (A)	Oct. 3-5	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
34 (A)	Oct. 10-12	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
35 (A)	Nov. 18-20	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
36 (A)	Nov. 22-24	3	3 deer, 1 antlered

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Milan Volunteer Training Site (TA 2)			
37 (A)	Nov 28-30	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
38 (A)	Dec 18-20	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
39 (A)	Dec 26-28	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
40 (A)	Jan 2-4	3	3 deer, 1 antlered

Milan Volunteer Training Site (TA 3)			
41 (A)	Sept 25-26	4	3 deer, 1 antlered
42 (A)	Sept 28-30	4	3 deer, 1 antlered
43 (A)	Oct 3-5	4	3 deer, 1 antlered
44 (A)	Oct 10-12	4	3 deer, 1 antlered
45 (A)	Nov 18-20	4	3 deer, 1 antlered
46 (A)	Nov 22-24	4	3 deer, 1 antlered
47 (A)	Nov 28-30	4	3 deer, 1 antlered
48 (A)	Dec 18-20	4	3 deer, 1 antlered
49 (A)	Dec 26-28	4	3 deer, 1 antlered
50 (A)	Jan 2-4	4	3 deer, 1 antlered

Milan Volunteer Training Site (TA 4)			
51 (A)	Sept. 25-26	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
52 (A)	Sept. 28-30	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
53 (A)	Oct. 3-5	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
54 (A)	Oct. 10-12	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
55 (A)	Oct. 18-20	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
56 (A)	Nov. 22-24	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
57 (A)	Nov. 28-30	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
58 (A)	Dec. 18-20	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
59 (A)	Dec. 26-28	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
60(A)	Jan. 2-4	3	3 deer, 1 antlered

Milan Volunteer Training Site (TA 7)			
61 (S)	Sept. 25-26	5	3 deer, 1 antlered

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Milan Volunteer Training Site (TA 7)			
62 (S)	Sept. 28-30	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
63 (S)	Oct. 3-5	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
64 (S)	Oct. 10-12	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
65 (S)	Nov. 18-20	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
66 (S)	Nov. 22-24	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
67 (S)	Nov. 28-30	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
68 (S)	Dec. 18-20	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
69 (S)	Dec. 26-28	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
70 (S)	Jan. 2-4	5	3 deer, 1 antlered

Milan Volunteer Training Site (TA 8)			
71 (S)	Sept. 25-26	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
72 (S)	Sept. 28-30	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
73 (S)	Oct. 3-5	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
74 (S)	Oct. 10-12	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
75 (S)	Nov. 18-20	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
76 (S)	Nov. 22-24	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
77 (S)	Nov. 28-30	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
78 (S)	Dec. 18-20	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
79 (S)	Dec. 26-28	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
80 (S)	Jan. 2-4	5	3 deer, 1 antlered

Milan Volunteer Training Site (TA 9)			
81 (A)	Sept. 25-26	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
82 (A)	Sept. 28-30	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
83 (A)	Oct. 3-5	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
84 (A)	Oct. 10-12	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
85 (A)	Nov. 18-20	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
86 (A)	Nov. 22-24	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
87 (A)	Nov. 28-30	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
88 (A)	Dec. 18-20	3	3 deer, 1 antlered

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Milan Volunteer Training Site (TA 9)

89 (A)	Dec. 26-28	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
90 (A)	Jan. 2-4	3	3 deer, 1 antlered

Milan Volunteer Training Site (TA 10)

91 (S)	Sept. 25-26	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
92 (S)	Sept. 28-30	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
93 (S)	Oct. 3-5	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
94 (S)	Oct. 10-12	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
95 (S)	Nov. 18-20	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
96 (S)	Nov. 22-24	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
97 (S)	Nov. 28-30	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
98 (S)	Dec. 18-20	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
99 (S)	Dec. 26-28	5	3 deer, 1 antlered
100 (S)	Jan. 2-4	5	3 deer, 1 antlered

Milan Volunteer Training Site (TA 11)

101 (S)	Sept. 25-26	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
102 (S)	Sept. 28-30	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
103 (S)	Oct. 3-5	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
104 (S)	Oct. 10-12	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
105 (S)	Nov. 18-20	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
106 (S)	Nov. 22-24	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
107 (S)	Nov. 28-30	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
108 (S)	Dec. 18-20	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
109 (S)	Dec. 26-28	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
110 (S)	Jan. 2-4	6	3 deer, 1 antlered

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Milan Volunteer Training Site (TA 12A)

111 (S)	Sept. 25-26	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
112 (S)	Sept. 28-30	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
113 (S)	Oct. 3-5	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
114 (S)	Oct. 10-12	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
115 (S)	Nov. 18-20	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
116 (S)	Nov. 22-24	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
117 (S)	Nov. 28-30	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
118 (S)	Dec. 18-20	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
119 (S)	Dec. 26-28	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
120 (S)	Jan. 2-4	6	3 deer, 1 antlered

Milan Volunteer Training Site (TA 12B)

121 (A)	Sept. 25-26	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
122 (A)	Sept. 28-30	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
123 (A)	Oct. 3-5	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
124 (A)	Oct. 10-12	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
125 (A)	Nov. 18-20	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
126 (A)	Nov. 22-24	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
127 (A)	Nov. 28-30	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
128 (A)	Dec. 18-20	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
129 (A)	Dec. 26-28	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
130 (A)	Jan. 2-4	3	3 deer, 1 antlered

Milan Volunteer Training Site (TA 12C)

131 (A)	Sept. 25-26	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
132 (A)	Sept. 28-30	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
133 (A)	Oct. 3-5	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
134 (A)	Oct. 10-12	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
135 (A)	Nov. 18-20	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
136 (A)	Nov. 22-24	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
137 (A)	Nov. 28-30	3	3 deer, 1 antlered

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Milan Volunteer Training Site (TA 12C)

138 (A)	Dec 18-20	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
139 (A)	Dec 26-28	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
140 (A)	Jan 2-4	3	3 deer, 1 antlered

Milan Volunteer Training Site (TA 13A)

141 (S)	Sept 25-26	7	3 deer, 1 antlered
142 (S)	Sept 28-30	7	3 deer, 1 antlered
143 (S)	Oct 3-5	7	3 deer, 1 antlered
144 (S)	Oct 10-12	7	3 deer, 1 antlered
145 (S)	Nov 18-20	7	3 deer, 1 antlered
146 (S)	Nov 22-24	7	3 deer, 1 antlered
147 (S)	Nov 28-30	7	3 deer, 1 antlered
148 (S)	Dec 18-20	7	3 deer, 1 antlered
149 (S)	Dec 26-28	7	3 deer, 1 antlered
150 (S)	Jan 2-4	7	3 deer, 1 antlered

Milan Volunteer Training Site (TA 13B)

151 (A)	Sept. 25-26	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
152 (A)	Sept. 28-30	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
153 (A)	Oct. 3-5	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
154 (A)	Oct. 10-12	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
155 (A)	Nov. 18-20	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
156 (A)	Nov. 22-24	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
157 (A)	Nov. 28-30	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
158 (A)	Dec. 18-20	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
159 (A)	Dec. 26-28	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
160 (A)	Jan. 2-4	3	3 deer, 1 antlered

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Milan Volunteer Training Site (TA 13C)

161 (A)	Sept. 25-26	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
162 (A)	Sept. 28-30	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
163 (A)	Oct. 3-5	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
164 (A)	Oct. 10-12	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
165 (A)	Nov. 18-20	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
166 (A)	Nov. 22-24	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
167 (A)	Nov. 28-30	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
168 (A)	Dec. 18-20	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
169 (A)	Dec. 26-28	3	3 deer, 1 antlered
170 (A)	Jan. 2-4	3	3 deer, 1 antlered

Milan Volunteer Training Site (TA 14)

171 (S)	Sept. 25-26	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
172 (S)	Sept. 28-30	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
173 (S)	Oct. 3-5	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
174 (S)	Oct. 10-12	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
175 (S)	Nov. 18-20	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
176 (S)	Nov. 22-24	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
177 (S)	Nov. 28-30	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
178 (S)	Dec. 18-20	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
179 (S)	Dec. 26-28	6	3 deer, 1 antlered
180 (S)	Jan. 2-4	6	3 deer, 1 antlered

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OAK RIDGE - Shotgun Zone			
181 (S)	Nov. 4-5	225	3 deer, only 1 antlered
182 (S)	Nov. 4-5	225	3 antlerless
183 (S)	Nov. 11-12	225	3 deer, only 1 antlered
184 (S)	Nov. 11-12	225	3 antlerless
185 (S)	Dec. 9-10	225	3 deer, only 1 antlered
186 (S)	Dec. 9-10	225	3 antlerless
OAK RIDGE - Archery Zone			
187 (A)	Nov. 4-5	300	3 deer, only 1 antlered; 1 bearded turkey
188 (A)	Nov. 4-5	300	3 antlerless; 1 bearded turkey
189 (A)	Nov. 11-12	300	3 deer, only 1 antlered; 1 bearded turkey
190 (A)	Nov. 11-12	300	3 antlerless; 1 bearded turkey
191 (A)	Dec. 9-10	300	3 deer, only 1 antlered; 1 bearded turkey
192 (A)	Dec. 9-10	300	3 antlerless; 1 bearded turkey
OTEY MILLS REFUGE			
193 (A)	Oct. 13-14	4	1 antlered deer, 1 bear, either sex
194 (A)	Dec. 1-2	4	1 antlered deer
PRENTICE COOPER STATE FOREST			
195 (A)	Sept. 16-18	400	2 deer, only 1 antlered
196 (M)	Oct. 12-14	250	2 deer, only 1 antlered
197 (M)	Oct. 26-28	250	2 deer, only 1 antlered

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PRESIDENTS ISLAND - excluding Ensley Unit:			
Antler restrictions apply.			
Deer count towards statewide bag limit			
198 (A)	Oct. 20-22	30	1 antlered deer
199 (A)	Dec. 1-3	30	1 antlered deer
TELLICO LAKE - West Unit (Bonus deer)			
200 (A)	Sept. 16-17	30	2 deer, only 1 antlered
201 (A)	Oct. 14-15	30	2 deer, only 1 antlered
202 (A)	Nov. 11-12	30	2 deer, only 1 antlered
203 (A)	Dec. 16-17	30	2 deer, only 1 antlered
WILLIAMSPORT (Bonus deer)			
204 (M)	Nov. 4-6	100	2 deer, only 1 antlered
205 (G)	Nov. 18-20	100	2 deer, only 1 antlered
206 (G)	Nov. 25-27	100	2 deer, only 1 antlered
207 (G)	Dec. 2-4	100	2 deer, only 1 antlered
208 (G)	Dec. 9-11	100	2 deer, only 1 antlered
YUCHI REFUGE: Antler restrictions apply-see back page. First deer harvested must be antlerless.			
209 (G)	Oct. 28-29	75	3 deer, only 1 antlered.
210 (G)	Nov. 11-12	75	3 deer, only 1 antlered.
YUCHI REFUGE: Upland Zone: Antler restrictions apply. First deer harvested must be antlerless.			
211 (G)	Dec. 9-10	50	3 deer, only 1 antlered.